

VOLUNTEER SHOWCASE

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High School Senior Earns Class Credit While Volunteering

Kala Davis has been an Earth Team volunteer at the Rapid City, South Dakota Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Office for the past year.

Kala has assisted the office with numerous activities including administrative work involving the vehicle fleet, Black Hills Stock Show and she was instrumental in the arrangement of a career discussion for her senior Ecology class at Douglas High School.

Kala began her volunteering career with the Earth Team as part of a high school class where students can receive credit for volunteering or job shadowing at any local company.

While some students volunteered at the vet clinic or the Humane Society, Kala chose to visit the NRCS office in Rapid City. "I love the welcoming feeling I get when I walk in. Everyone is so nice and helpful," she said.



Kala Davis is a high school senior. She began volunteering with NRCS to earn class credit.



The Earth Team is the volunteer component of the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), a USDA agency. For more about NRCS and the Earth Team, visit www.usda.nrcs.gov.

If you are interested in volunteering, call (888) 526-3227 or visit your local NRCS office to learn about volunteer opportunities.